

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Town of Danville



For the Year Ending
February 15, 1914

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FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1914

MANCHESTER, N. H.
JOHN B. CLARKE COMPANY.

1914.



TOWN OFFICERS.

Elected biennially.

MODERATOR,

GEORGE M. ANDERSON.

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT,

ALFRED B. SARGENT.

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST,

IRVING M. COLLINS,

HARRY E. BURRILL,

FRANK A. STEVENSON.

Officers elected annually.

TOWN CLERK,

HERBERT E. COLBY.

SELECTMEN,

GEORGE M. ANDERSON,

ALFRED B. SARGENT,

MAHLON C. CURRIER.

TREASURER,

CHARLES H. JOHNSON.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES,

JOHN F. HEATH.

HIGHWAY AGENTS,

THEODORE C. DAY,

JOHN METEVIER.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES,

WILLIAM F. HEATH,

WALLACE KEEZER,

ALFRED B. SARGENT.

SCHOOL BOARD,

WILLIAM J. MACE,

FLORA M. TUCK,

CHARLES H. JOHNSON.

SCHOOL TREASURER,

HERBERT E. COLBY.

BOARD OF HEALTH,

MARCUS M. ANDERSON,

DR. E. A. LANDMAN.

AUDITORS,

ALLAN L. HUNTINGTON,

ROMANGO C. BURRILL.

VALUATION.

Polls, 141	\$141 00
Improved and unimproved lands and buildings..	2,424 81
Horses, 93	79 65
Cows, 80	27 37
Neat stock, 7	1 48
Sheep, 11	30
Fowls	33
Auto, 7	25 00
Portable mills, 1.....	6 00
Lumber	44 60
Money on hand.....	39 82
Stock in trade	51 00
Machinery	16 50

APPROPRIATIONS.

State tax	\$616.00
County tax	558.10
Highways and bridges	714.46
State road	456.00
State road—maintenance	35.00
Public library	75.00
Support of schools	1,500.00
Officers' salary	50.00
School notes and interest.....	714.00
Town charges	400.00
Overlay	217.09

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	\$456.01
Isaac March, trust fund	150.00
Interest on Isaac March trust fund.....	6.00
Eaton school fund, on note	700.00
State road—money	259.63
State road—maintenance	71.82
Railroad tax	48.78
Savings bank tax	490.10
Literary fund	62.79
Proportion school fund.....	387.00
County, for support dependent soldiers, widows and poor	515.00
M. C. Currier, license for pool room.....	10.00
Town clerk, dog license	49.40
John F. Heath, collector:	
Tax for 1913	4,977.57
Interest, 1913	14.25
Tax, 1912	462.11
Interest, 1912	15.89
Tax, 1911	4.10
Interest, 1911 .....	.51
State treasurer, expense of Lendon C. Buzzell funeral	19.00
State treasurer, forest fires	1.55
H. E. Colby, balance on high school house.....	2.97
Total	<hr/> \$8,704.48

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid Ira C. Evans Co., printing town reports....	\$34.20
Freeman T. Jackman, for bond for town treasurer	60.00
Geo. M. Anderson, expense in transferring Eaton land to Colby Bros.	5.00
A. H. Marshall, for extinguishing forest fires	8.75
Mrs. Gertrude F. Fellows, lumber for Eaton school	4.38
Colby Bros., wood for town hall.....	2.50
Samuel Cabot, Gypsy-moth creosote.....	6.89
Charles A. Day, lodging tramps.....	2.00
Charles A. Day, sharpening bars and picks.	1.60
A. E. Tewksbury, sharpening bars and picks	.60
Mary A. Page, housing road machine.....	2.00
Mahlon C. Currier, trip to Portsmouth....	5.00
Geo. M. Anderson, trip to Portsmouth.....	5.00
A. B. Sargent, trip to Concord.....	4.00
Geo. M. Anderson, trip to Concord.....	5.50
Geo. M. Anderson, trip to Exeter.....	3.50
H. E. Colby, for returning vital statistics..	2.10
H. E. Colby, postage and stationery.....	3.35
Dr. E. A. Landman, returning death and births	2.00
J. W. E. Farrell, hearse hire	20.00
George M. Anderson:	
Freight on road machine.....	3.00
Freight on creosote and moth paper.....	1.35
For sewer grate	2.00
Lodging tramps	2.00
Postage and stationery	3.00
Road drag	25.84
Road machine, knife and bolts.....	8.50
Repairs on road machine.....	27.28

Paid C. A. Twombly, hearse hire.....	\$5.00
Edson C. Eastman, books.....	3.33
A. B. Sargent, for perambulating town lines	4.00
M. C. Currier, for perambulating town lines	4.00
G. M. Anderson, for perambulating town lines	2.00
Edgar T. Brown, hearse hire.....	5.00
Total	<hr/> \$274.67

STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

Paid George E. Farrand, state tax	\$616.00
James L. Parker, county tax	558.18
Total	<hr/> \$1,174.18

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Geo. M. Anderson, selectman.....	\$50.00
Alfred B. Sargent, selectman.....	25.00
Mahlon C. Currier, selectman	20.00
Charles H. Johnson, treasurer.....	25.00
Herbert E. Colby, clerk.....	15.00
J. F. Heath, tax collector	76.64
Charles H. Johnson, care of Eaton fund...	10.00
M. C. Currier, supervisor.....	2.75
Geo. M. Anderson, examining real estate...	15.00
A. B. Sargent, examining real estate.....	15.00
M. C. Currier, examining real estate.....	15.00
Total	<hr/> \$269.39

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid John Metivier, North road agent.....	\$346.36
Theodore C. Day, South road agent.....	454.25

Paid M. J. Dimond, labor	\$5.40
P. F. Collins, labor	12.25
D. D. Chase Lumber Co., sewer tile.....	1.20
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Total	\$819.46

PUBLIC WATERING PLACES.

Paid Wallace Keezar	\$3.00
W. P. Carter	3.00
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Total	\$6.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Paid Wallace Keezar	\$75.00
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BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid Marcus M. Anderson.....	\$10.00
Dr. E. A. Landman.....	4.00
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Total	\$14.00

ABATEMENTS.

Paid D. C. Hook, overtax	\$27.12
Moses C. Hall, sawmill	11.22
Clara McGrath, loss of cow.....	.65
Lizzie B. Cloutier, loss of cow.....	.37
Eugene F. Collins, pool	1.87
John Bragdon, pool	1.87
M. C. Currier, pool table.....	3.25
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Total	\$46.35

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND WIDOWS.

Paid W. J. Ladd, groceries for Susan Welch....	\$78.00
W. J. Ladd, groceries for Josiah Ladd....	78.00

Paid Albert S. Gowen, cash.....	\$24.90
Lendon C. Buzzell, funeral expenses.....	19.00
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Total	\$199.90

AUDITORS.

Paid Wallace Keezer	\$5.00
Allan L. Huntington	2.00
Irving M. Collins	2.00
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Total	\$9.00

NOTES—INTEREST.

Paid C. M. Collins, interest on Parsonage note..	\$100.00
C. H. Johnson, town treasurer, Eaton Fund note	700.00
Interest on Eaton Fund note	29.70
Herbert E. Colby, school note.....	614.25
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Total	\$1,443.95

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid W. J. Ladd, groceries for W. H. Arnold family	\$260.00
G. B. Hines, groceries for W. J. Rogers family	4.79
Dr. E. A. Landman, professional services for W. J. Rogers	1.25
B. S. Creggy, transportation of W. J. Rog- ers family	1.40
Dr. E. A. Landman, professional services in W. H. Arnold family	87.00
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Total	\$354.44

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid Herbert E. Colby, school treasurer, for support of town schools	\$2,072.39
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STATE ROAD.

Paid Geo. M. Anderson, state road.....	\$710.74
Geo. M. Anderson, maintenance state road.	138.26
Total	<hr/> \$849.00

RECAPITULATION.

Miscellaneous	\$274.67
State and county tax.....	1,174.18
Town officers	269.39
Highways and bridges.....	819.46
Public watering places.....	6.00
Public library	75.00
Board of health	14.00
Abatements	46.35
Dependent soldiers and widows.....	199.90
Auditors	9.00
Notes and interest	1,443.95
Support of poor	354.44
Town schools	2,072.39
State road	710.74
Maintenance State road	138.26
Total	<hr/> \$7,607.73

GEORGE M. ANDERSON,
ALFRED B. SARGENT,
MAHLON C. CURRIER,

Selectmen.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

LIABILITIES.

Parsonage note	\$2,500.00
School notes	1,800.00
Total	<u>\$4,300.00</u>

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury	\$1,096.75
Due from J. F. Heath, tax collector for 1913....	381.05
Due from county for support of dependent soldiers and soldiers' widows.....	24.90
I. W. March, fund.....	150.00
Due from county for support of poor.....	15.00
Total	<u>\$1,667.70</u>

Notes against the town	\$4,300.00
Assets	<u>1,667.70</u>

Balance against town	\$2,632.30
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GEORGE M. ANDERSON,
ALFRED B. SARGENT,
MAHLON C. CURRIER,

Selectmen.

SAMUEL EATON HIGH SCHOOL FUND.

Cash and income received from the Samuel Eaton High School fund for the year 1913.

Cash and funds February 15, 1913.....\$18,536.54
Received from

Providence Securities Co., interest..	\$40.00
Keene Gas & Electric Co., interest..	100.00

Laconia Gas & Electric Co., interest	\$50.00
Western Union Tel. Co., interest....	90.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., interest..	40.00
Southern Bell T. & T. Co., interest..	50.00
City of Seattle, interest.....	50.00
Western T. & T. Co., interest.....	100.00
Kansas City, Clinton & S., interest..	100.00
First National bank, final dividend..	98.00
Manchester & Lawrence R. R.....	140.00
Sale of land	700.00
Interest on note from town.....	29.70
	<hr/> 1,587.70

Total on hand and received	\$20,124.24
Paid orders from selectmen to H. E. Colby, treasurer, for support of Eaton high school.....	825.00

Balance on hand	\$19,299.24
The funds are invested as follows:	

(February 15, 1914.)

Providence Securities Co., 4%, due 1957, bond 19126	\$1,000.00
Keene Gas & Electric Co., 5%, due 1935, bonds 55, 155, 174.....	2,000.00
Laconia Gas & Electric Co., 5%, due 1940, bonds 108, 109	1,000.00
Western Union Tel. & Tel. Co., 4½%, due 1932, bonds 17520, 17521.....	2,000.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., 4%, due 1929, bond 48987	1,000.00
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., 5%, due 1941, bond M. 3438.....	1,000.00
City of Seattle, 5%, due 1926, bond 335.....	1,000.00

Western Tel. & Tel. Co., 5%, due 1932, bonds	
8134, 3750	\$2,000.00
Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield bonds, 6688	
and 2023, 5%	2,000.00
N. H. Savings bank	714.80
Amoskeag Savings bank	1,534.43
Haverhill Savings bank	700.00
Cash in Merchants National bank	270.01
Manchester & Lawrence R. R., par value	3,080.00
Total	\$19,299.24

GEORGE M. ANDERSON,
 ALFRED B. SARGENT,
 MAHLON C. CURRIER,
Selectmen.

DANVILLE, N. H., February 25, 1914.

We the undersigned have examined the foregoing accounts presented to us by the selectmen of said town and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ALLAN L. HUNTINGTON,
 ROMANZO C. BURRELL,
Auditors.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Amount cash on hand Feb. 15, 1913.....	\$456.01
Isaac W. Marsh, trust fund.....	150.00
Received of:	
Isaac W. Marsh, trust fund interest..	\$6.00
Samuel Eaton, trust fund note.....	700.00
State treasurer:	
State road	259.63
Maintenance	71.82
Literary fund	62.79
Bank tax	490.10
Railroad tax	48.78
School fund	387.00
Dependent soldiers	19.00
Forest fires	1.55
County treasurer, support of poor and dependent soldiers	515.00
Town clerk, dog licenses	49.40
School treasurer, balance due on high school building	2.97
M. C. Currier, poolroom license.....	10.00
John F. Heath:	
Taxes 1911	4.10
Interest 1911 .....	.51
Taxes 1912	462.11
Interest 1912	15.89

Taxes 1913	4,977.57	
Interest 1913	14.25	
	<hr/>	\$8,098.47
Total on hand and received.....		<hr/> \$8,704.48
Paid out by order of selectmen.....	7,607.73	
Balance in my hands	\$1,096.75	
Of this amount \$150.00 is the Isaac W. Marsh trust fund and \$49.40 is dog license money.		

THE SAMUEL EATON FUND.

Cash and funds on hand Feb. 15, 1913.....	\$18,536.54	
Received from:		
Providence Securities Co., interest...	40.00	
Keene Gas & Electric Co., interest...	100.00	
Laconia Gas & Electric Co., interest..	50.00	
Western Union Tel. & Tel. Co., in-		
terest	90.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Co., interest....	40.00	
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., interest	50.00	
City of Seattle, interest	50.00	
Western Tel. & Tel. Co., interest....	100.00	
Kansas City, Clinton and Springfield,		
interest	100.00	
First National bank, Haverhill, Mass.,		
final dividend on stock owned by		
the late Samuel Eaton	98.00	
Manchester & Lawrence railroad....	140.00	
Sale of land	700.00	
Interest on note from town treasurer	29.70	
	<hr/>	\$1,587.70
Total on hand and received		<hr/> \$2,124.24
Paid selectmen, vouchers to school treasurer...	825.00	
Balance in my hands	\$19,299.24	

The above is invested as follows:

Providence Securities Co., 4% bond.....	\$1,000.00
Keene Gas & Electric Co., 5% bonds.....	2,000.00
Laconia Gas & Electric Co., 5% bond.....	1,000.00
Western Union Tel. & Tel. Co., 4½% bonds..	2,000.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., 4% bonds.....	1,000.00
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., 5% bonds.....	1,000.00
City of Seattle, 5% bonds	1,000.00
Western Tel. & Tel. Co., 5% bonds.....	2,000.00
Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield, 5% bonds..	2,000.00
Manchester & Lawrence railroad, market value	3,086.00
New Hampshire Savings bank, Concord.....	714.80
Amoskeag bank, Manchester	1,534.43
Haverhill Trust Co., Haverhill	700.00
Cash in Merchants National bank	270.01
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Total	\$19,299.24

CHAS. H. JOHNSON,

Treasurer.

We, the undersigned auditors, have examined the foregoing accounts presented to us by the treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ALLAN L. HUNTINGTON,

ROMANZO C. BURRILL,

Auditors.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENTS.

Report of Theodore C. Day, highway agent of South Danville, amounts expended for repairs on highways and bridges.

Theodore C. Day, with team, 22 days, 4½ hours	\$89.00
W. J. Mace, with team, 7 days, ½ hour.....	28.22
W. J. Ladd, with team, 2 days.....	9.00
Roland Cheney, with team, 1 day, 2 hours.....	5.50
H. S. Osborne, with team, 1 day.....	4.00
John Welch, with team, 3¼ hours.....	1.00
A. W. Rumery, labor, 28 days, 5½ hours.....	57.20
W. J. York, labor, 3 days	5.25
Clarence York, labor, 1 day, 4½ hours.....	2.63
Elwin Collins, labor, 2 days	3.50
Albert S. Gowen, labor, 7 days	12.25
Howard Stevenson, labor, 15 days, 1½ hours..	26.54
Windell Demaine, labor, 7 days, 1 hour.....	10.65
Roland Day, labor, 4 days, 1 hour.....	7.20
Marcus Anderson, labor, 3 hours .....	.60
George Johnson, labor, 3 days, 7½ hours.....	7.50
Theodore C. Day, labor, 23 days.....	46.00
Theron Collins, labor, 1 days, 4½ hours.....	1.50
Albert George, labor .....	.25
Nathan A. West, labor .....	.25
Ora B. George, labor, 10 days, 2 hours.....	17.90
Porter George, labor, 10 days, 2 hours.....	17.90
W. F. Heath, labor, 7 days	12.25
P. F. Collins, labor, 7 days, 4½ hours.....	15.00
Norman Smith, labor, 1 day.....	1.75

E. S. Nickett, labor, 1 day.....	\$1.75
G. M. Anderson, labor	2.00
Mrs. A. F. Seaver, gravel	2.00
Charles Dale, gravel	1.75
George Johnson, gravel .....	.35
S. Martin gravel .....	.70
C. H. Johnson, gravel	1.00
W. Atkinson, gravel .....	.70
Colby Bros., labor	2.00
Colby Bros., bridge lumber	15.73

Total amount expended	\$410.82
Received of selectmen, appropriation.....	411.17

Amount handed selectmen	\$0.35
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Report of Theodore C. Day, highway agent of South Danville, for snow paths.

William Holland, with team, 9 hours.....	\$5.00
Lester Burdett, with team, 9 hours.....	5.00
E. S. Nickett, shoveling, 27 hours.....	5.40
Charles A. Day, shoveling, 25 hours.....	5.00
Carlton Mace, shoveling, 5 hours.....	.75
Theodore C. Day, labor, 20 hours.....	4.00
George Johnson, with team, 14 hours.....	4.20
Roland Day, use of horse.....	1.00
Clifton Arnold, shoveling, 7 hours.....	1.05
Clinton Arnold, shoveling, 15 hours.....	2.25
Joseph Allard, shoveling, 2½ hours.....	.50
John Welch, shoveling, 4 hours.....	.80
George Welch, shoveling, 5 hours.....	1.00
William Welch, shoveling, 7½ hours.....	1.13
Alliston Tewksbury, 15 hours.....	3.00
Wallace Keezar, 15 hours.....	3.00

\$43.08

THEODORE C. DAY,

Agent.

Making snow paths in North Danville in 1914, John Metevier, agent.

A. B. Sargent, with team, 1½ days.....	\$6.00
O. E. Collins, with team, 1 day.....	4.00
Rodney Rock, 1 day	1.75
Merrill Merrick, 15½ hours	2.71
Sidney Merrick, 7 hours	1.23
Louis Merrick, 15½ hours	2.71
Peter Metevier, 11 hours	1.93
Emede Noury, 7 hours	1.23
Ernest Merrick, 7 hours	1.23
Herbert Towle, 1 day	1.75
Calis Pilon, 1 day	1.75
F. A. Hall, 6½ hours	1.15
John Elkins, 14 hours	2.45
Leon Webster, 4½ hours .....	.79
C. H. Collins, 16 hours	2.80
John Metevier, with team, 4 hours.....	1.00
Marshall Graves, 15 hours	2.62
Jerry Elkins, 2 hours .....	.35
Freeman Tuck, 3 hours .....	.52
Wilton Hoyt, 3 hours .....	.52
Burton L. Keith, 13½ hours	2.37
Ernest Sargent, 2 days	3.50
Rodney Rock, with team, ½ day.....	2.00
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	\$46.36

NORTH SIDE ROAD.

A. B. Sargent, 3 days with team.....	\$12.00
O. E. Collins, 3 days with team.....	12.00
John Metevier, 4 days	7.00
Emede Noury, 2 days	3.50
Walter Merrick, 4½ days	7.87
W. P. Johnson, 4½ days	7.87

Peter Metevier, 4½ days	7.87
Emede Noury, 4½ days	7.87
Marshall Graves, 5 days	8.75
A. B. Sargent, 4½ days with team.....	18.00
Rodney Rock, 2 days with team.....	8.00
O. E. Collins, 2½ days with team.....	10.00
John Metevier, 5 days	8.75
A. B. Sargent, 2 days with team.....	8.00
O. E. Collins, 2 days with team.....	8.00
M. B. Merrick, 2 days	3.50
Peter Metevier, 2 days.....	3.50
Marshall Graves, 2 days	3.50
John Metevier, 2 days	3.50
Walter Sargent, 2 days	3.50
Herbert Towl, 2 days	3.50

\$148.48

A. B. Sargent, 3 days with team.....	\$12.00
Rodney Rock, 2 days with team.....	8.00
O. E. Collins, 1 day with team.....	4.00
Peter Metevier, 3 days	5.25
Emede Noury, 3 days	5.25
Marshall Graves, 3 days	5.25
Walter Sargent, 3 days	5.25
M. B. Merrick, 2 days	3.50
John Metevier, 3½ days	6.12
John Metevier, 2 days	3.50
Peter Metevier, 2 days	3.50
Emede Noury, 2 days	3.50
A. B. Sargent, 2 days with team.....	8.00
O. E. Collins, 2 days with team.....	8.00
W. P. Johnson, 2 days	3.50
John Bragdon, 2 days	3.50
Peter Metevier, 3 days	5.25
John Metevier, 5 days	8.75
Walter Merrick, 2 days	3.50

Alfred Avery, for cutting bushes.....	\$7.30
Peter Metevier, 5 days	8.75
W. P. Johnson, 4 days	7.00
Marshall Graves, 4 days	7.00
John Bragdon, 3 days	5.25
Walter Merrick, 3 days	5.25

\$146.17

JOHN METEVIER, *Agent*.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Balance from last year	\$35.00
Received from town treasurer.....	75.00
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	\$110.00

Paid H. E. Currier, insurance.....	7.00
Granite State Pub. Co., book.....	1.08
G. B. Hines, glue10
Inez Tewksbury, repairing books....	1.00
G. B. Hines, oil .....	.55
Colby Bros., wood	3.13
Trustees Ex. Haverhill	2.90
Mitchell & Co., books	52.06
Roy C. Collins, librarian.....	19.20
B. S. Craggy, express	7.50
W. F. Heath, covering books.....	4.00
Wallace Keezer, treasurer	1.48
Cash on hand	10.00
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	\$110.00

W. F. HEATH,
WALLACE KEEZER,
A. B. SARGENT,
Trustees.

JANITOR'S REPORT.

Received for use of Town hall for the year ending February 15, 1914	\$48.00
Paid for oil	\$4.40
2 brooms .....	.70
Wood	7.50
Lamp chimneys	1.00
Lumber .....	.60
Service of janitor	33.80
	<hr/> \$48.00

A. F. GEORGE, *Janitor*.

REPORT OF PARSONAGE COMMITTEE.

Amount of note and in banks.....	\$9,316.89
Received interest from banks.....	275.34
Received interest from town.....	100.00

Total	\$9,692.23
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Paid Free Baptist society	\$258.50
Methodist society	98.23
Universalist society	10.34
Congregational society	7.75
Postage and services .....	.52

Parsonage fund:

Town note	2,500.00
New Hampshire Savings bank.....	4,000.00
Amoskeag Savings bank.....	1,816.89
Manchester Savings bank.....	1,000.00
	\$9,692.23

C. M. COLLINS,
A. B. SARGENT,
A. J. PHILBRICK,
Parsonage Committee.

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched for.

A. L. HUNTINGTON,
R. C. BURRILL,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Board of Education submits the following report:

The schools have been under the supervision of experienced teachers the entire year.

The primary school, having had a trained teacher, has made good progress in all the grades. This school has purchased a small school library, which it enjoys very much, the books being adapted to little folks. The interior of the building has been varnished and the walls tinted, making much improvement.

The grammar school has made fair progress during the year; but we recognize the fact that the Normal graduate has an advantage that one of lesser training cannot supply, and the board will in the future, if possible, keep to this standard, especially in the grammar school.

In June the eighth grade passed their examinations with much credit to themselves and teacher. This class was one of the largest ever graduated, and the graduation exercises were held in the Town hall, where certificates were presented. Nine of this class entered the Freshman class of the Eaton High school, and one at Phillips Exeter Academy.

For the North school, although small, a trained teacher was secured, and the board believes that much better results are obtained by doing so. If we would have our students successful in the secondary schools we must have trained teachers in the district schools.

The North school building is in need of shingles and paint, and it would be well to provide money for the same.

During the year more money has been paid for books than usual, for new books have been bought for all the

schools. A large proportion of the old books were worthless, and it was not advisable to fill in any longer. We have seen much improvement by the new system, and very little expense will be necessary next year.

The district has paid tuition at secondary schools for eight pupils, seven at Sanborn Seminary and one at Pinkerton Academy. The high school enrollment being so small the first year, it was thought best to place the eighth grade in charge of the principal, Miss Emma Leighton, and the results obtained proved satisfactory indeed. We feel that some time in the near future it may be well to give the students more choice in the course of study, especially those who desire only the two-year course. We urge the coöperation of parents in regard to the keeping of study hours, for the high school course necessarily means hard work, and if we are to keep it among the approved class we must work just as hard as we would if attending some other secondary school. The Freshman class passed their examinations and entered the Sophomore year in September.

It was thought best not to spend much on the Eaton school grounds, but the board recommend some improvement each year until the grounds are in good shape. The volunteer work done last spring in the grounds, and the shade trees that were set out, demonstrate what can be done at small expense. We are pleased to note that, with proper economy, the income of the Eaton fund is quite ample for all present needs.

WILLIAM J. MACE,
FLORA M. TUCK,
CHARLES H. JOHNSON,

School Board.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JULY 15, 1913.

Whole number of different pupils.....	81
Boys	39
Girls	42
Average attendance in all schools.....	68.65
Average absence in all school	4.2
Average membership in all schools	72.85
Per cent of attendance	94.23
Number of pupils not absent or tardy.....	3
Number of cases of tardiness	139
Number of pupils attending high schools whose tuition is paid by the town.....	8
Number of visits by school board.....	35
Number of visits by citizens and others.....	117

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Names of pupils not absent or tardy during the term and
for the year ending July 15, 1913.

HIGH SCHOOL AND EIGHTH GRADE.

First Term—Dana C. Huntington, Ethel L. Rumery,
Wesley A. Witherell, Philip B. Keith.

Second Term—Philip B. Keith, Bertha A. Ladd, Amy L.
Mace, Wesley A. Witherell.

Third Term—Philip B. Keith, Merritt Demain, Etta Day,
Ethel Rumery, Amy L. Mace, Sherburne Sanborn.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

First Term—Paul Tuck, Annie E. Arnold, Edna J.
Cheney, Freda A. Osborne, Amy Sanborn.

Second Term—Freda A. Osborne, Annie E. Arnold.

Third Term—Freda A. Osborne, Annie E. Arnold, Doris
Dole, Theron Collins.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

First Term—Marjorie Huntington, Ethelyn Collins, Bertha Cheney, Wilbur Cheney, Thomas Arnold, Mildred Eastman.

Second Term—Marjorie Huntington, Mildred Eastman, Mahlon Keezer, Vida Arnold.

Third Term—Ralph Jackson, Wilfred Jackson, Bertha Cheney.

NORTH SCHOOL.

First Term—Austin Hall, Mabel Hall, Ruth Hall, Zoie Pelon.

Second Term—Zoie Pelon, Esther Merrick, Valentine Merrick.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Philip B. Keith, Freda A. Osborne, Annie E. Arnold.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

For the year ending February 15, 1914.

Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1913.....	\$161.07
Received from town treasurer:	
Appropriation by the town	1,550.00
Proportion of school fund	387.00
Literary fund	62.79
Dog license money	66.60
Interest on Isaac Marsh fund.....	6.00
Total amount received	<hr/> \$2,233.46

EXPENDITURES.

For teaching:

Alice M. Barnard, North school, 16
weeks \$144.00

Grace M. Welch, North school, 19 weeks	\$171.00	
Elizabeth MacNeff, Primary school, 14 weeks	140.00	
Irma Wadsworth, Primary school, 22 weeks	220.00	
Anna B. Carr, Grammar school, 14 weeks	154.00	
Alice M. Barnard, Grammar school, 15 weeks	180.00	
Ruth Seward, Grammar school, 7 weeks	84.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,093.00
For tuition:		
Sanborn Seminary	\$140.00	
Pinkerton Academy	11.00	
	<hr/>	\$151.00
For janitor work:		
Everett Cummings, North school....	\$9.50	
Harry Arnold, Primary school.....	4.00	
Olla Arnold, Primary school.....	2.00	
Clinton Arnold, Primary school....	3.25	
Clifton Arnold, Primary school.....	10.60	
James Dimond, Grammar school....	15.25	
Carleton Mace	18.00	
	<hr/>	\$62.60
For books and supplies:		
American Book Co., books.....	\$36.39	
J. L. Hammett & Co., supplies.....	47.62	
E. E. Babb & Co., books and supplies	39.59	
Ginn & Co., books	45.04	
Silver, Burdett & Co., books.....	57.30	
D. C. Heath & Co., books.....	8.00	
H. M. Weigh, supplies	1.50	
Public School Printing Co., supplies	1.02	
	<hr/>	\$236.46

GENERAL EXPENSES.

R. E. Lane, enumeration cards.....	\$0.47
A. O. U. W., rent for 1912.....	27.00
Grace M. Anderson, enumerating children	5.00
J. W. Prescott, repairing schoolroom..	30.04
B. S. Craggy, express.....	3.00
C. M. Collins, bills paid on Eaton school building	91.50
Merritt Demaine, pumping out well...	1.00
Clinton Arnold, labor	2.15
Clifton Arnold, fitting wood	4.50
E. S. Nickett, fitting wood.....	4.37
A. W. Tuck, bookcase and labor.....	10.00
Olla M. Arnold, cleaning schoolrooms	3.85
M. M. Anderson, labor on well and stovepipe	5.00
Carleton Mace, fitting wood.....	1.88
C. F. Ruee, printing, etc.	2.25
Colby Bros.:	
Wood for 1912	35.31
Wood for Grammar school	51.25
Wood for Primary school	27.51
Wood for North school	6.00
E. A. Kimball, repairs, Grammar school	2.00
O. L. Cleaves, labor on school grounds	4.87
Flora M. Tuck:	
Wood and fitting same	9.25
Work on books and postage.....	5.00
Cleaning room, supplies, etc.	8.05
Express and telephone charges.....	9.17
W. J. Mace:	
Incidental expenses	2.75
Labor on grounds, etc.	12.25

Albert F. George, use of Town hall...	\$1.25	
Hanscom Hardware Co., floor brushes	1.75	
W. J. Ladd, fertilizer and grass seed...	3.67	
Haverhill Trust Co., interest on notes	71.25	
W. J. Mace, chairman, school board...	20.00	
Flora M. Tuck, services on school board	10.00	
Charles H. Johnson, services on school board	10.00	
H. E. Colby, services as treasurer.....	5.00	
		<hr/> \$488.34

Total amount expended.....	\$2,031.40
Cash on hand	\$202.06

Total amount received.....	\$2,233.46
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HERBERT E. COLBY,

Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ETTA M. WINSLOW,

GERTRUDE M. LADD,

Auditors.

EATON HIGH SCHOOL.

Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1913.....	\$33.62
Received of town treasurer.....	825.00
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Total amount received	\$858.62

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Emma L. Leighton, teaching.....	\$576.68
For books and supplies:	
Allyn & Bacon, books.....	\$3.60
Ginn & Co. books.....	30.96

American Book Co., books.....	\$12.64	
E. E. Babb & Co., supplies.....	1.44	
D. C. Heath & Co., books.....	18.46	
Public School Printing Co.	1.02	
	<hr/>	\$68.12

General expenses :

James Dimond, janitor work.....	\$15.25	
Carleton Mace, janitor work.....	18.00	
W. J. Mace, team and grass seed....	20.50	
A. W. Tuck, carpenter work.....	4.00	
Carleton Mace, cutting wood.....	1.87	
O. S. Cleaves, labor on grounds....	4.88	
E. S. Nickett, cutting wood.....	4.38	
Olla Arnold, cleaning	2.30	
E. A. Kimball, repairs	2.00	
Colby Bros., wood for 1912.....	10.31	
Colby Bros., wood for 1913.....	51.25	
Albert F. George, use of town hall..	1.25	
W. J. Ladd, fertilizer and grass seed	3.66	
W. J. Mace, incidental expenses....	2.75	
Hanscom Hardware Co., floor brushes	1.75	
	<hr/>	\$144.15

Total	\$788.95
Cash on hand	\$69.67
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Total amount received	\$858.62

JOINT FUND FOR BUILDING THE EATON SCHOOL BUILDING.

Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1913.....	\$2.97
Paid C. H. Johnson, town treasurer.....	\$2.97

NOTES.

Received of town treasurer	\$614.25
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Paid Haverhill Trust Co., note and interest.... \$614.25

There are three notes of six hundred dollars each now outstanding.

HERBERT E. COLBY,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing account, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ETTA M. WINSLOW,
GERTRUDE M. LADD,
Auditors.

VITAL STATISTICS, 1913.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DANVILLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1913.

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Age.	Color.	Place of Birth of Each.	Name of Father.	Cond.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married.
Feb. 1	Danville	Theodore C. Day	22	W	Bradford, Mass.	Charles A. Day	S	Rev. Allen C. Keith,
Mar. 8	Plaistow	Mary A. West	18	W	Kingston	Daniel West	S	Danville
June 14	Franklin	Lewis F. Avery	29	W	Danville	Wm. P. Avery	S	Rev. Charles A. Towne,
June 21	Danville	Charlotte H. Smith	23	W	Marblehead, Mass.	Daldry R. Smith	S	Plaistow
		George H. Sheldon	26	W	Fremont	Chas. A. Sheldon	S	Rev. Rufus P. Gardner
		Hattie M. Welch	42	W	West Rumney	Charles Merrill	D	Franklin
		Herman E. Sanborn	34	W	Danville	Dan T. Sanborn	S	Rev. Allen C. Keith,
		Elizabeth MacNeff	24	W	Boston, Mass.	Philip MacNeff	S	Danville

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DANVILLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1913.

Date.	Name of Child. (if any).	Sex.	No. of Child.	Liv. or Stillborn.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Mar. 8	Bernice Irene	F	4	L	Charles M. Eastman	Mabel Hurd	Danville	Georgetown, Mass.
Mar. 15	Charles Elmer	M	1	L	Wm. H. Woodbury	Christie A. Avery	Georgetown, Mass.	Danville
April 1	Gordon Davis	M	1	L	Waldo C. Witherell	Isa M. Davis	Danville	Kingston
April 11	Mary Beatrice	F	12	L	Warren Arnold	Olla Ladd	Danville	Danville
Aug. 21	Gerald Homer	M	2	L	Albert Perkins	Maud B. Seaver	Danville	Danville
Nov. 16	Katherine Anne	F	6	L	Raymond Jackson	Katherine Mooney	Easton, P. Q.	Dalton
Dec. 12	Edith Burbank	F	6	L		Marcia Anderson	Portsmouth	Danville

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DANVILLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1913.

Date.	Name and Surname of Deceased.	Age.			Birth. Place of	Male or Female.	Color.	S., Mar. or Wid.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.						
June 7	Mary W. P. Currier	83	4		Kingston	F	W	W	Neld Heath	Eliza Winslow
July 13	Nath. Bradley, Jr.	80	8	16	Wakefield	M	W	M	Nathaniel Bradley	Joanna H. Seward
Sept. 13	Sewell Eastman	82	9	17	Danville	M	W	W	Sewell Eastman	Abigail Tucker
Sept. 28	Hannah C. Strafford	90	11	26	West Newfield, Me.	F	W	W	Thomas Bond	Peavy Suptine
Oct. 1	Hephzibah Page	86	10	20	Danville	F	W	S	Amos Page	Hephzibah Eastman
Oct. 4	Annie B. Johnson	55	1	24	Danville	F	W	M	Nathan Hoyt	Sarah Hooke

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